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[redacted] Mr. Stephen Lesher, Press  
Secretary to Senator Birch Bayh (D., Ind.), advised that he had received a letter from a professor at American University asking that Mr. Lesher, as a former Congressional Fellow, condemn the reports that Dr. Evron Kirkpatrick, of the American Political Science Association, was associated with an organization which possibly received funds from the Agency. It was Mr. Lesher's belief that this letter was going out to all former Congressional Fellows. Mr. Lesher said that his reply refusing to sign such a condemnation ran to the points that, so far, this is yet an unproven charge; dismay that there is something "un-American" about accepting funds from an agency of the United States Government; and a retort that, regardless, he had not been subverted in any way.

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[redacted] Judy Swartz, in the office of Representative Silvio Conte, called in an effort to locate a "George Carter." It developed that she was trying to locate George Carver who, along with several other people including the Director, had addressed a Williams College group last year. Miss Swartz was interested in determining whether we would address this same group at a seminar in Washington this year the subject being "The Impact of the War on Domestic Economy." I advised Miss Swartz that the subject of this seminar was outside the scope of the Agency's responsibility and, therefore, I felt there was no logical basis for Agency participation. Miss Swartz was inclined to agree with this reasoning and thanked me for my assistance.

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[redacted] Left a message for Mike Findley, in the office of Representative Dante B. Fascell, that we were investigating the typewriter matter which had been brought to their attention by [redacted]

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[redacted] and expected to be in touch with them sometime next week.

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